COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 1260/96

of 1 July 1996

definitively fixing the amount of aid for cotton from 1 June 1995 to 31 March 1996 for the 1995/96 marketing year

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to the Act of Accession of Greece, and in particular paragraphs 3 and 10 of Protocol 4 on cotton, as last amended by Council Regulation (EC) No 1553/95 [1],

Having regard to Council Regulation (EC) No 1554/95 of 29 June 1995 laying down the general rules for the system of aid for cotton and repealing Regulation (EEC) No 2169/81 [2], and in particular Article 5 (1) thereof,

Whereas the Council adopted the adjustments to the system of aid for cotton from the 1995/96 marketing year at the end of June 1995; whereas these adjustments include, in particular, the fixing of the reduction in the guide price, the application of a new stabilizer system based on guaranteed national quantities, the taking into account of the availability of funds following application of the reduction in the event of an overrun of the guaranteed national quantities with a view to increasing the aid, and amendments to the method for determining the world market price for unginned cotton;

Whereas the amounts of aid for cotton fixed for the 1995/96 marketing year for the period from 1 June to 5 July 1995 were provisionally established on the basis of the guide price and the rules applicable to the aid scheme for that period; whereas the amounts of aid fixed for the period from 6 July to 31 August 1995 were provisionally established on the basis of a reduction related to the estimated production of each Member State in relation to its own guaranteed national quantity, on the basis of the old method for calculating the world market price for unginned cotton; whereas since 1 September 1995 the world market price for unginned cotton has been periodically fixed in accordance with all the rules applicable from that date;

Whereas Commission Regulation (EC) No 1090/96 [3] fixed, for the 1995/96 marketing year, actual production of unginned cotton, the amount by which the guide price is reduced in each Member State in accordance with Article 6 of Regulation (EC) No 1554/95 and the increase in the amount of the aid in accordance with Article 2 (4) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 1964/87 [4], as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1553/95;

Whereas Article 5 (1) of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 1201/89 of 3 May 1989, laying down rules implementing the system of aid for cotton [5], as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 905/96 [6], provides for the amount of the aid for unginned cotton applicable for each period for which a world market price has been determined to be fixed before 15 July;

Whereas therefore, the amounts of aid valid for the 1995/96 marketing year should be definitively fixed,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. The amounts of aid for unginned cotton in Commission Regulations (EC) No 1234/95 [7], (EC) No 1262/95 [8], (EC) No 1296/95 [9], (EC) No 1311/95 [10], (EC) No 1332/95 [11], (EC) No 1344/95 [12], (EC) No 1409/95 [13], (EC) No 1457/95 [14], (EC) No 1583/95 [15], (EC) No 1642/95 [16], (EC) No 1679/95 [17], (EC) No 1694/95 [18], (EC) No 1737/95 [19], (EC) No 1784/95 [20], (EC) No 1899/95 [21], (EC) No 1908/95 [22], (EC) No 1931/95 [23], (EC) No 2012/95 [24], (EC) No 2020/95 [25], (EC) No 2042/95 [26], and (EC) No 2055/95 [27] are hereby replaced by the amounts set out in the Annex to this Regulation, which shall be definitively fixed from the date of entry into force for each of the Regulations concerned.

[1] OJ No L 148, 30. 6. 1995, p. 45.
[2] OJ No L 148, 30. 6. 1995, p. 48.
[3] OJ No L 144, 18. 6. 1996, p. 7.
[4] OJ No L 184, 3. 7. 1987, p. 14.
[5] OJ No L 123, 4. 5. 1989, p. 23.
[6] OJ No L 122, 22. 5. 1996, p. 5.
[7] OJ No L 121, 1. 6. 1995, p. 21.
[8] OJ No L 122, 2. 6. 1995, p. 31.
[9] OJ No L 125, 8. 6. 1995, p. 19.
[10] OJ No L 126, 9. 6. 1995, p. 27.
[11] OJ No L 128, 13. 6. 1995, p. 17.
[12] OJ No L 129, 14. 6. 1995, p. 18.
[13] OJ No L 140, 23. 6. 1995, p. 12.
[14] OJ No L 143, 27. 6. 1995, p. 67.
[15] OJ No L 150, 1. 7. 1995, p. 79.
[16] OJ No L 155, 6. 7. 1995, p. 39.
[17] OJ No L 159, 11. 7. 1995, p. 8.
[18] OJ No L 161, 12. 7. 1995, p. 23.
[19] OJ No L 165, 15. 7. 1995, p. 17.
[20] OJ No L 173, 25. 7. 1995, p. 49.
[21] OJ No L 181, 1. 8. 1995, p. 13.
[22] OJ No L 182, 2. 8. 1995, p. 12.
[23] OJ No L 185, 4. 8. 1995, p. 43.
[24] OJ No L 196, 19. 8. 1995, p. 14.
[25] OJ No L 197, 22. 8. 1995, p. 10.
[26] OJ No L 199, 24. 8. 1995, p. 57.
[27] OJ No L 202, 26. 8. 1995, p. 6.

2. The amounts for aid for unginned cotton corresponding to the world prices fixed in Commission Regulations (EC) No 2095/95 [1], (EC) No 2157/95 [2], (EC) No 2185/95 [3], (EC) No 2191/95 [4], (EC) No 2205/95 [5], (EC) No 2227/95 [6], (EC) No 2244/95 [7], (EC) No 2258/95 [8], (EC) No 2300/95 [9], (EC) No 2368/95 [10], (EC) No 2439/95 [11], (EC) No 2560/95 [12], (EC) No 2768/95 [13], (EC) No 3038/95 [14], (EC) No 64/96 [15], (EC) No 115/96 [16], (EC) No 174/96 [17], (EC) No 318/96 [18], (EC) No 359/96 [19], (EC) No 370/96 [20], (EC) No 475/96 [21], and (EC) No 544/96 [22] are set out in the Annex to this Regulation and shall be definitively fixed from the date of entry into force for each of the Regulations concerned.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on the third day following its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities.*

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 1 July 1996.

For the Commission

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Member of the Commission

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[1] OJ No L 206, 1. 9. 1995, p. 32.
[2] OJ No L 215, 9. 9. 1995, p. 27.
[3] OJ No L 219, 15. 9. 1995, p. 29.
[4] OJ No L 220, 16. 9. 1995, p. 9.
[5] OJ No L 221, 19. 9. 1995, p. 31.
[6] OJ No L 224, 21. 9. 1995, p. 30.
[7] OJ No L 228, 23. 9. 1995, p. 24.
[8] OJ No L 230, 27. 9. 1995, p. 48.
[9] OJ No L 233, 30. 9. 1995, p. 34.
[10] OJ No L 241, 10. 10. 1995, p. 20.
[11] OJ No L 250, 18. 10. 1995, p. 7.
[12] OJ No L 262, 1. 11. 1995, p. 11.
[13] OJ No L 288, 1. 12. 1995, p. 25.
[14] OJ No L 316, 30. 12. 1995, p. 17.
[15] OJ No L 13, 18. 1. 1996, p. 18.
[16] OJ No L 19, 25. 1. 1996, p. 33.
[17] OJ No L 25, 1. 2. 1996, p. 13.
[18] OJ No L 44, 22. 2. 1996, p. 17.
[19] OJ No L 50, 29. 2. 1996, p. 23.
[20] OJ No L 51, 1. 3. 1996, p. 17.
[21] OJ No L 66, 16. 3. 1996, p. 14.
[22] OJ No L 79, 29. 3. 1996, p. 18.

ANNEX

AID FOR UNGINNED COTTON

(in ecus per 100 kilograms)

Reglation (EC) No	Amount of the aid	
	Spain	Greece
1234/95	69,137	47,346
1262/95	69,829	48,038
1296/95	69,137	47,346
1311/95	68,527	46,736
1332/95	69,094	47,303
1344/95 (1)	68,445	46,654
1409/95	68,343	46,552
1457/95	68,904	47,113
1583/95	69,409	47,618
1642/95	69,944	48,153
1679/95	70,746	48,955
1694/95	70,064	48,273
1737/95	71,185	49,394
1784/95	71,752	49,961
1899/95	71,592	49,801
1908/95 (2)	72,276	50,485
1931/95	72,794	51,003
2012/95	72,138	50,347
2020/95	70,199	48,408
2042/95	69,160	47,369
2055/95	70,095	48,304
2095/95	69,166	47,375
2157/95	69,994	48,203
2185/95	68,192	46,401
2191/95	67,268	45,477
2205/95	66,268	44,477
2227/95	67,407	45,616
2244/95	66,057	44,266
2258/95	67,345	45,554
2300/95	67,511	45,720
2368/95	68,491	46,700
2439/95	69,533	47,742
2560/95	70,192	48,401
2768/95	70,262	48,471
3038/95	70,559	48,768
64/96	71,362	49,571
115/96	70,650	48,859
174/96	70,111	48,320
318/96	70,980	49,189
359/96	71,731	49,940
370/96	71,731	49,940
475/96	70,926	49,135
544/96	71,776	49,985

(1) Corrected by Regulation (EC) No 1358/95.
(2) Corercted by Regulation (EC) No 1911/95.